

Occupation Analysis of 341 Honorees

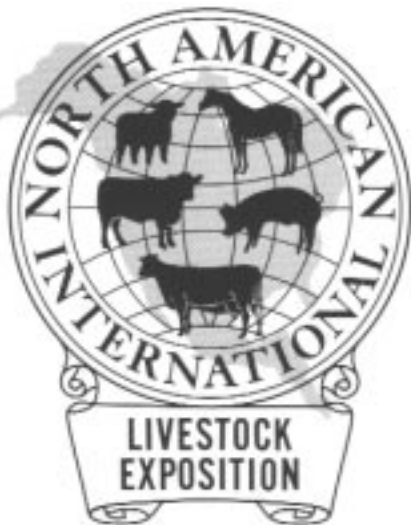
Ag College Personnel	Businessmen	12	Lawyers	1	Ranchers	11	
Presidents	8	Cattle Feeder	6	Livestock Breeders		Sec'y L.S. Assns	2
Deans	18	Congressmen	7	Angus	13	Stock Show Mgt	6
Dept. Heads	19	Corn Breeder	1	Dairy	6	Stock Yards	
Teachers	8	Editors/Press	2	Hereford	10	Commission	14
Researchers	8	Foreign Breeders		Horse	16	Packerse/Buyers	21
Ag Extension	3	Breed Founders	7	Sheep	11	USDA/BAI	6
Artist	1	British Breeders	12	Swine	11	US Sec'y Agr	9
Auctioneers	4	S. AM Breeders	3	Shorthorn	24	US Presidents	3
Bankers	1	Governors	1	Pioneers	5	Vets	5
Breed Sec'y	14			Priest	1		

The first portrait to be hung at the North American International Livestock Exposition was South Dakota State University President and respected sheep judge, Hilton M. Briggs. More than half of those accepted since the move in 1977 have come from the college ranks.

College	Teacher	3	Livestock Breeder	Press/Editor	1
Presidents	1	Breed Founder	1	Angus	2
Deans	2	Breed Sec'y	2	Shorthorn	1
Dept. Heads	8	Businessman	1	Swine	1
				USDA/BAI	2

Peers making the selections since 1977 have also shown their respect for livestock judges. Eight of this college group could rightly be classified as livestock judges. This group has

dominated the major shows for many years. Herman Purdy is said to have judged over 1700 events...45 of them overseas including all their major shows.



The official logo of the North American International Livestock Exposition on ribbons and rosettes follows its many champions back home to the show barn or the farm office.



Herman R. Purdy, teacher, judging team coach and of the world's most revered livestock judges reflects the respect the industry has had for its judges.